

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions,  
and listings, of claims in the application:

Claim 1 (canceled)

1 Claim 2 (previously presented): A color reproduction  
2 system comprising:  
3 a color image input section; and  
4 a color correcting section for correcting colors of  
5 an image of a subject obtained by photographing the  
6 subject by the color image input section, wherein  
7 the color correcting section comprises:  
8 an object recognizing section for dividing a subject  
9 image input from the color image input section into  
10 images of a plurality of areas, and selecting a suitable  
11 input profile from among a plurality of input profiles  
12 for each divided area;  
13 a device-independent color converting section for  
14 converting an image of each area into a  
15 device-independent color image by using the input profile  
16 selected from among the plurality of input profiles;  
17 an image combining section for combining the  
18 device-independent color images converted at divided  
19 areas into one device-independent color image; and  
20 a device value image converting section for  
21 converting the combined device-independent color image  
22 into an output device value image by using a  
23 predetermined output profile.

Claims 3-9 (withdrawn)

1 Claim 10 (original): A color reproduction system  
2 according to claim 2, wherein the input profile is  
3 prepared based on at least one of image input unit  
4 information that includes photographic characteristics of  
5 an image input unit used for the photographing and  
6 information on a set state of the color image input  
7 section, observation illumination light information, and  
8 subject characteristic information that represents  
9 statistical characteristics of spectral reflectances of  
10 the photographed subject.

Claims 11-15 (withdrawn)